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Re Patent Application of)
Masashi OHTANI et al.)
Serial No. 09/593,765) Art Unit: 2811
Filed: June 14, 2000) Examiner: C. Nguyen
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE (Amended))

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's final Office Action mailed August 13, 2001, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE TITLE:

✓ Please amend the title to read as follows: --SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE--

IN THE ABSTRACT:

✓ Please delete the originally filed Abstract with replace it with the attached amended Abstract.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 23, 29-31, 36 and 42 as follows. Claims 1, 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 23, 29-31, 36 and 42 are presented below in their amended form. The amendments to the above-noted claims are outlined in an Attachment to the Amendment using the conventional indication method of bracketing and underlining.

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